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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action of January 23, 2006, please find the following remarks in support of patentability.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this communication.

Remarks in support of patentability begin on page 6 of this communication.